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April 23, 2021

Dear Chair DeFazio and Ranking Member Graves:

I am requesting funding for the City of Spokane Valley Spokane Valley River Loop project in surface transportation reauthorization legislation.

The project sponsor for this project is the City of Spokane Valley and the project is located at 10210 E. Sprague Ave., Spokane Valley, WA 99206.

The funding is designated for adding 5 miles of new paved, non-motorized trail along the north bank of the Spokane River and installing two pedestrian bridges spanning the Spokane River, creating a looped trail network that connects three park lands with the Centennial Trail while improving access to the Spokane River

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and would complement Spokane County's Centennial Trail Addition, which will add paved multi-modal trails, a pedestrian bridge and greenways along the Spokane River.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Cathy McMorris Rodgers
Member of Congress